

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A multi-component liquid explosive composition and method of mixing thereof.

The steps include (a) providing a powder consisting of aluminum preferably having an average particle size of 5 to 50 microns and a surface area of .5 to 2 square meters per

5 cubic centimeter containing .1 to 5% stearic acid by weight.; (b) providing a liquid consisting of nitromethane; and (c) mixing said aluminum powder with the nitromethane to form a liquid explosive formulation detonable at a wide range of temperatures and diameters with a standard commercial number 8 blasting cap.